EUROPEAN AND MEDITERRANEAN PLANT PROTECTION ORGANIZATION ORGANISATION EUROPEENNE ET MEDITERRANEENNE POUR LA PROTECTION DES PLANTES Summary sheet of validation data for a diagnostic test

The EPPO Standard PM 7/98 Specific requirements for laboratories preparing accreditation for a plant pest diagnostic activity describes how validation should be conducted. It also includes definitions of performance criteria.

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Short description of the test	Detection and identification of Fusarium circinatum by morphology in pure culture	
Date, reference of the validation report	2020-01-14 - F circinatum 2019.MYC.012	
Validation process according to EPPO Standard PM7/98?	yes	
Is the lab accredited for this test?	yes	
Was the validated data generated in the framework of a project?	no	
Description of the test		
Organism(s)	Fusarium circinatum(GIBBCI)	
Detection / identification	detection and identification	
Method(s)	Morphological	
Method: Morphological		
Reference of the test description		
As or adapted from an EPPO diagnostic protocol	yes	
New test being considered for inclusion in the next version of the EPPO diagnostic protocol?	no	
EPPO Diagnostic Protocol name	PM 7/091 Gibberella circinata (version 2)	
Name of the test	Morphological identification in pure culture on PDA and SNA	
As or adapted from an IPPC diagnostic protocol	no	
Is the test modified compared to the reference test	yes Based on the validation results it was concluded that in some cases a positive diagnosis is possible directly after morphological identification. Confirmation by PCR sequencing the EF1 gene is only performed in case of uncertainty. Isolations were performed on PDA or Cherry agar.	
Other information		
Performance Criteria :		

Organism 1.:	Fusarium circinatum(GIBBCI)
Test performance study	
Test performance study?	no

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